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Mr. Charles L. A. Terreni Chief Clerk/Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100 Columbia, South Carolina 29210

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RE:

Docket No. 2006-169-C - Notification by Telrite Corporation and Accxx

Communications, LLC of an Asset Purchase Agreement

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-4-10(B) (Supp. 2005), the Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") must be considered a party of record in all filings, applications or proceedings before the Commission unless or until ORS chooses not to participate. By this letter, ORS reserves its rights to conduct discovery and investigate the matter contain in the application and reserves its right to a hearing in the above-referenced matter. S.C. Code Ann. § 1-23-320 provides that upon a thirty day notice, all parties to a contested case must be afforded the right to a hearing.

ORS is charged with representing the public interest of South Carolina before the Commission and as such is reviewing the issues raised by this filing. ORS will advise the Commission upon completion of its review.

Sincerely,

C. Lessie Hammonds Attorney for ORS RECEIVEL

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